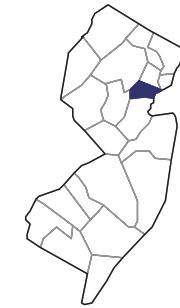


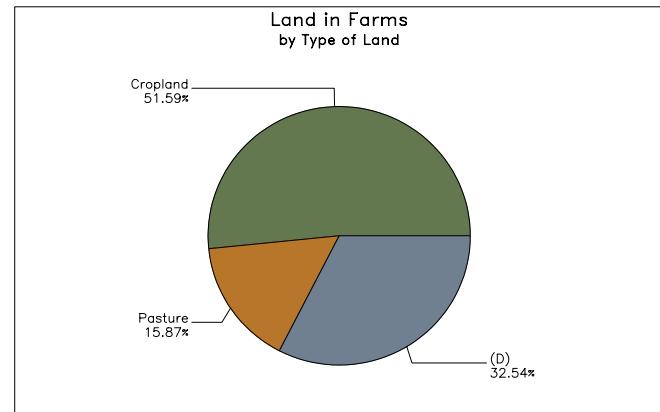
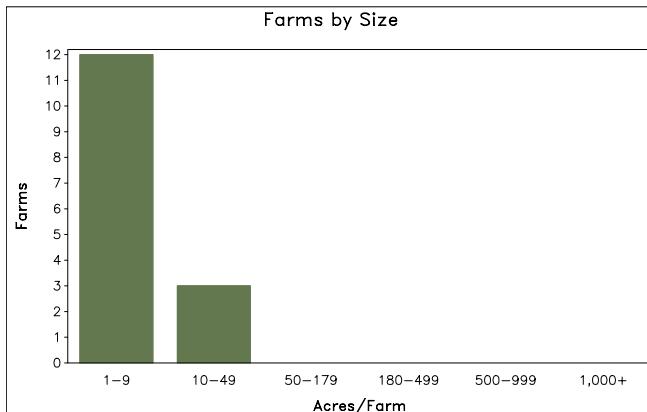
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## County Profile

### Union, New Jersey



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	15	18	- 17
<b>Land in Farms</b>	126 acres	182 acres	- 31
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	8 acres	10 acres	- 17
 <b>Market Value of Production</b>	 \$2,483,000	 \$6,750,000	 - 63
Crop Sales \$2,468,000 (99 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$16,000 (1 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	<b>\$165,549</b>	<b>\$374,975</b>	<b>- 56</b>
 <b>Government Payments</b>	 \$0	 \$0	
Average Per Farm	\$0	\$0	



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#### Ranked items among the 21 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	2,483	19	20	2,946	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,468	19	20	2,514	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	16	19	20	3,058	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	17	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	20	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	20	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	20	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(-)	(-)	18	(-)	1,710
Other crops and hay	(-)	(-)	18	(-)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	4	19	20	2,783	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	19	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(-)	(-)	13	(-)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(-)	(-)	18	(-)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(-)	(-)	18	(-)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	20	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	(-)	(-)	16	(-)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(-)	(-)	18	(-)	2,875
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Layers	(D)	19	20	(D)	3,024
Horses and ponies	(D)	19	20	(D)	3,066
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	16	17	(D)	2,476
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	17	18	(D)	2,627
Cattle and calves	(D)	18	20	(D)	3,060
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Vegetables harvested, all	27	19	20	1,984	2,794
Nursery stock	12	19	20	1,351	2,130
Pumpkins	11	19	19	884	1,716
Beans, snap	(D)	17	20	(D)	2,171
Floriculture crops <sup>3</sup>	(D)	(D)	20	(D)	1,815

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	(-)
\$1,000 to \$2,499	2
\$2,500 to \$4,999	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1
\$10,000 to \$19,999	(-)
\$20,000 to \$24,999	2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	2
\$40,000 to \$49,999	(-)
\$50,000 to \$99,999	(-)
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1
\$500,000 or more	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	1,862
Average per farm (\$)	124,118
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	782
Average per farm (\$)	52,108

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	10
Other	5
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	13
Female	2
Average age of principal operator (years)	61.8
All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:	
American Indian or Alaska Native	(-)
Asian	(-)
Black or African American	1
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	(-)
White	24
More than one race	(-)
All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	(-)

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.

<sup>3</sup> Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line, position in table does not indicate rank.